പ്രസിഡെണ്ട്.—ഈ വഴി ചേരാനെല്ലൂർ ഭഗവതി ക്ഷേത്രത്തിന്റെ ഏതു ഭാഗത്താണ്?

മിസ്റ്റർ കെ. പി. കരുപ്പൻ.—സക്കാർവഴി തെക്കെ ഗോപുരത്തിലാണ് ചെന്നുമുട്ടുന്നതു്.

പ്രസിഡെണ്ട്.—സക്കാർവഴി ദേവസ്വം വഴിയിൽ മുട്ടുന്നേടത്തുനിന്നു് പുതിയവഴിതിരിച്ചാൽ പോരെ എന്നറിയുന്നതിനായിട്ടാണ് ഞാൻ ഈ ഭാഗം ചോദിക്കുന്നതു്.

മിസ്റ്റർ കെ. പി കരുപ്പൻ.—ഇപ്പോഴത്തെ ഭാഗത്തുനിന്നുതന്നെയാണ് വഴിവെട്ടാൻ നിശ്ചയിച്ചിരിക്കുന്നതു്.

78. Mr. O. R. Chummar.—Will the Government be pleased to state whether the road for the Valas at Cheranallur is completed; if not, why?

Mr. I. Raman Menon.—The Member is referred to the answer to question No. 77.

Mr. O. R. Chummar.—I am referred to the previous answer. It is about the same matter. Q. 77 (c). Have the Government started land acquisition proceedings?

Mr. I. Raman Menon.—The land acquisition is over.

President.—When is the construction to begin? Have funds been provided?

Mr. I. Raman Menon.—Funds have been provided; and the construction is to begin in 1103.

The Cheerachikulam Tank.

79. Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(a) when was the tank called Cheerachikulam in Ollur repaired last, and what was the amount spent for the same;

(b) who was the contractor;

(c) when and what was the amount paid to him;

(d) when did the repairs fall through;

(e) who check-measured the work, and what action was taken for the damages?

Diwan Bahadur Dr V. Verghese.—(a) In the years 1099 and 1100. The amount spent was Rs. 7,608—7—8.

(b) Mr E. L. Joseph.

(c) Last payment was on 14th Vrischigam 1102. The contractor was paid in all Rs. 7,608—7—8.

(d) In Mithunam 1100.

(e) The Chief Medical and Sanitary Officer check-measured the work and a deduction of Rs. 1,117—3—11 was made from the contractor's final bill.

Mr. T. A Ramachandra Ayyar.—The answer to subdivision (a) is "in the years 1099 and 1100". Now, I ask what

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portion of the work was done in 1099 and what portion in 1100?

President.—That is a new question.

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—When was it repaired last?

President.—The answer is in the years 1099 and 1101. But the correct answer should be in the year 1100. The other answer is superfluous. The information has been completely furnished, and there is no fresh matter to be elucidated in connection with that answer.

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—(d) When did the repairs fall through? "In Mithunam 1100" did the whole work fall through?

Diwan Bahadur Dr. V. Verghese.—A particular portion of the rivetment fell down.

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—Was any estimate prepared when this work was started?

President.—There must be an estimate in accordance with the rules of the Public Works Department before a work is begun, and no work will be allowed to be started without an estimate.

Mr. T. A Ramachandra Ayyar.—Was there any inspection during the course of this work?

President.—There are Sanitary Inspectors, I think, who are to inspect such works.

Diwan Bahadur Dr. V. Verghese.—Yes Sir, they are constantly on the move—and must have inspected this work during the course of their inspection. I have myself inspected this work in the course of its construction half a dozen times, and my predecessor inspected this work once or twice. That is supervising the work. During the course of its construction the Sanitary Inspector at Trichur must have been inspecting it several times every month. The exact dates or the exact number of their visits I cannot give.

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—Have those Inspectors any engineering skill?

President.—Have they undergone a course of engineering?

Diwan Bahadur Dr. V Verghese.—Yes, Sir. They have to undergo a course in engineering—sanitary engineering. They are trained in sanitary engineering.

President.—So there is also an engineering course for Sanitary Inspectors?

Diwan Bahadur Dr. V. Verghese.—Yes

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—"(e) The Chief Medical and Sanitary Officer check-measured the work and a deduction of Rs. 1,117-3-11 made from the contractor's final bill". Was this

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the exact loss sustained by the Government by the falling through of the work, and are the Government entitled to deduct more than this amount?

Diwan Bahadur Dr. V. Verghese.—An exact computation of the real loss to Government has not been made. Because the materials were all there, and are still in the possession of Government. A fair estimate was made.

President.—There was a fair estimate of the damage caused, and that was assessed at this figure. Is it not so?

Diwan Bahedur Dr. V. Varghes.—Yes.

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—By spending this amount can we put it back?

President.—That has not been tried. It is only by trial that you can say whether this amount is sufficient.

APPENDIX I.

(Vide Answer to Question No 67.)

Particulars of trees licensed for tapping in 1101 and 1102.

Trees licensed for	1101			
	Cocoanut	Palmyra	Sago	Total
Fermented toddy	61,900	8,256	4,460	74,616
Sweet toddy	6,015	8,105	8,495	22,615
Bakery	92	...	2	94
Total	68,007	16,361	12,957	97,325

Trees licensed for	1102 (Till the end of Edavam)				
	Cocoanut	Palmyra	Sago	Total	Remarks
Fermented toddy	62,708	9,176	4,547	76,431	1,815 trees
Sweet toddy	6,550	12,133	11,636	30,319	7,704 ,,
Bakery	92	...	...	92	—2 ,,
Total	69,350	21,309	16,183	1,06,842	

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